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UNCLAS. APR 20 (PASS TO VOA) MODERATE AFTERNOON DAILY DIARIO
LATINO PRAISED PRESIDENT CARTER'S RECENT SPEECH BEFORE THE OAS
SAYING LATIN AMERICANS HAD BEEN LOOKING FORWARD TO SEE WHAT THE
UJDS. PRESIDENT WOULD SAY, ESPECIALLY REGARDING HUMAN RIGHTS, AN
ISSUE WHICH HAS "CAUSED SOME GOVERNMENTS TO CONSIDER MR. CARTER'S
STAND AS INTERFERENCE IN THEIR INTERNAL AFFAIRS."
IN AN EDITORIAL ENTITLED "THE VOICE OF CARTER AT THE OAS" THE
TABLOID DESCRIBES ENTHUSIASTICALLY HOW PRESIDENT CARTER APPLIED
HIMSELF WITH TACT AND INTELLIGENCE TO DEAL WITH SENSITIVE
ISSUES OF SOCIAL, ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL IMPACT. THE PAPER
CONCLUDES THAT THE BEST AND MOST IMPORTANT POINT MADE BY MR.
CARTER IN HIS SPEECH WAS THE ONE IN WHICH HE SAID "WE SHALL NO
LONGER ACT ABROAD IN WAYS WE WOULD NOT TOLERATE IN OUR OWN
COUNTRY." THIS, OPINED THE DAILY, IS A FAR-REACHING DECLARATION
MADE BY A PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND IT "ACTUALLY MEANS
THE U.S. WILL NO LONGER MEDDLE DIRECTLY IN THE DESTINY OF OUR
COUNTRIES LIKE IT USED TO DO NOT SO LONG AGO."
SAID DIARIO LATINO (SPANISH EXCERPTS):
"EL JUEVES 14 DE ABRIL, DIA DE LAS AMERICAS, ESTUVO EL PRESIDENTE
CARTER SA SALUDAR A LOS REPRESENTANTES DE TODOS LOS PAISES LATI-
NOAMERICANOS. HE SIDO ESTE EL PRIMER CONTACTO DIRECTO DEL PRESI-
DENTE DE LOS EE.UU. CON LA ORGANIZACION DE ESTADOS AMERICANOS
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Y SU DISCURSO ERA ESPERADO CON NATURAL INTERES, SOBRE TODO DESPUES
DE HABER DECLARADO LA SUSPENSION DE AYUDA MILITAR A ALGUNOS PAISES
POR CUESTIONES DE DERECHOS HUMANOS, LO QUE HA PROVOCADO MALESTAR
EN LOS GOBIERNOS DIRECTAMENTE SENALADOS, POR CONSIDERARLO
UNA INTROMISION EN SU POLITICA INTERNA.
"...EL PRESIDENTE CARTER ABORDO CON TACTO E INTELIGENCIA TODOS Y
CADA UNO DE LOS PUNTOS SUSCEPTIBLES DE ALGUN PELIGROSO

ENFOQUE: LOS ASPECTOS POLITICOS, LOS ECONOMICOS, LOS SOCIALES
(Y LOS DERECHOS HUMANOS). CON MUCHA HABILIDAD SOSLAYO LOS ASPECTOS
ESPINOSOS Y ENTRO A FONDO EN AQUELLOS EN QUE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS,
Y NO EL COMO GOBERNANTE, TIENEN YA DEFINIDA SU POLITICA.
"...UNA DECLARACION (DEL PRESIDENTE) QUE CONSIDERAMOS IMPORTANTE
PARA EL CONVIVIO INTERAMERICANO ES LA FRASE 'NO EMPLEAREMOS EN
EL EXTERIOR FORMAS DE ACTUAR QUE NO TOLERARIAMOS EN NUESZO PAIS.'
NOS PARECE TRASCENDENTAL ESTA DECLARACION EN LABIOS DE
UN PRESIDENTE DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS..PORQUE SEGURAMENTE LOS
ESTADOS UNIDOS, QUE NO PERMITIRIAN INTERVENCIONES EXTRANAS EN
SUS DESTINOS, TAMPOCO INTENTARAN ENTROMETERSE DIRECTAMENTE EN
EL DESTINO DE ESTOS PUEBLOS, COMO LAS QUE EN OCASIONES
HISTORICAS NO TAN LEJANAS TUVO EN LOS DESTINOS DE NUESTROS
PAISES."
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